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The Honorable Representative Frank Foster
S-1486 House Office Building
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Re: HB 4668 and HB 4669 support

Dear Representative Foster,

After careful consideration, I am coming out in strong support of HB 4668 and HB 4669 addressing uncapping of summer resort real property.

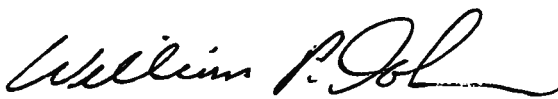
If this legislation does not pass, Wequetonsing Association real property is likely to be uncapped in 2012. The effect will be devastating to an otherwise flourishing resort community that is crucial to our Township's history, jobs, and sense of place.

In addition, uncapping 49% of properties that did not change ownership because the other 51% did is unjust and unfair. This legislation may not be perfect, but it appears to be the only fair way to address the problem.

There is a sense of urgency in that if this legislation is not effective for the 2012 tax year, it will not help sustain our important resort community.

I ask for your support of HBs 4668 and 4669. Thank you for your consideration to Townships

Sincerely,


William P. Dohm, Supervisor

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cc: House Tax Policy Committee Members

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